



Jordan Morris & Charlie Mylie

PICTURE BOOKS AS A TEAM SPORT! PRESENTATION FOR GRADES K-5

Authors and illustrators Jordan Morris and Charlie Mylie are combining their powers once again to share the book-making experience. This time they are pulling back the curtain on how words and pictures come together to tell stories and are inviting kids to collaborate in the process. Using live-drawing and kid-generated ideas, Jordan and Charlie take a simple character on a transformational journey. In addition to using the basics of story-

telling, Jordan and Charlie will share some trade secrets and answer questions that young book makers might not even know to ask like, "why should I avoid the gutter?" This 45 minute program is collaborative, engaging and unique every time. Each group will complete a story together and each kid will leave with a thumbnail sheet to start their own picture book.

\$900 Full day engagement - up to FOUR 45 minute presentations, K-5th grade.

\$500 is a half day engagement - TWO 45 minute presentations

\$300 is a single presentation - prefer not to speak to more than 100 kids at a time

What else do you need for this presentation? - a projector or a smart board

We are excited to share this program with as many kids as possible!

We understand that school budgets vary. Fees can be negotiated. Do not hesitate to ask.

Contact Stephanie Shugart at aletterforlulu@gmail.com to book or for more info.

"We are still talking about how amazing Charlie and Jordan were for our kids. They loved it!! " - **Mission Trails Elementary, Librarian**



Best visiting author and illustrator ever. Charlie and Jordan brought their story to life right before the students' eyes. You could almost see the little creative light bulbs go off above their heads when asked to make their own stories. We can't wait for them to return!

- **Northview Elementary, PTA**



JORDAN



CHARLIE



Jordan Morris and Charlie Mylie collaborated on *Out On A Limb* (Abrams 2021) and have multiple other books in the works (Candlewick 2025, 2026). Jordan is the author and illustrator of *Ball-y the Wonderball* (Kids Can Press 2025) and works at The Rabbit hOie, an immersive museum dedicated to children's literature. Charlie used to work there and is the author and illustrator of multiple books for kids, most recently *WE MIGHT SEE* (Abrams). They have shared their interactive reading of *Out on A Limb* with hundreds of children and families at schools and libraries throughout the metro. Jordan lives in KCMO while Charlie lives in KCK and somehow they get along. They both have black cats and kids.